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MRS. LINGO WINS HER CONTENTION.

Exceptions to Her Choice of Taking Cash in Estate are Dismissed.

WIDOWS PRESERVE THE CASH.

In Several Estates They Elect to Take the \$300 Allowed in Lieu of Dower Interest—Other News of the Courts at Uniontown.

Special to the Courier.
UNIONTOWN, May 23—Judge Work handed down an order in Orphan's Court this morning dispensing the objections filed to the election of Dr. William H. Lingo to take \$300 as her share of the estate of the late L. A. Lingo. Mrs. Lingo made her election under the Act of April 1, 1909, to which exceptions were filed. Mrs. Lingo chose to take \$300 in cash rather than the bequest made her under the will. The Citizens' Title & Trust Company is executrix of the will.

A citation has been made on George Higinbotham in the estate of the late James C. Higinbotham of Redstone township for an accounting. George Higinbotham is alleged to have agreed to take over 100 acres of land at the appraised value of \$17,500. Only a partial division was made. It is alleged joined with George Higinbotham in the citation are Rachel H., the widow; Dr. O. P. Deantz, executrix, and William G. Higinbotham and W. J. Parshall, administrators of Mary H. Higinbotham, deceased.

The petitioners for the citation were Mrs. Hester Goe, Mrs. Louise Deantz and Mrs. Lizzie A. Crumrine.

In the estate of Margery E. Denfau, a minor child of Menallen, J. Ellsworth Iles, the guardian, was allowed \$300 for piano and music lessons.

In the estate of Dr. John A. Batten of Uniontown the widow, Virginia L. Batten, elects to take the \$300 exemption, cash in the bank. Katherine Batten is the executrix of the will. In the John H. Wurtz estate the widow, Caroline O. Wurtz, elected to take \$300 as did Mille Arthur, widow of Robert Arthur, late of Fayette City.

A bill in divorce was filed this morning by Stephen Borsig against Suse Borsig, defendant being charged. An order was made by Judge Work directing the delivery of a deed to Jacob Montgomery for a parcel of land in South Union township, upon payment of the remaining \$100 due. Thomas H. Grier agreed to sell the land but died before the deal was consummated. John H. Doran, the administrator, is directed to make the deed.

Andy Moron was committed to jail by Squire Borer this morning and will plead guilty to carrying concealed weapons.

Jacob Anderson was committed to jail by Squire Boyd on a charge of assault and battery preferred by Elmer Banks of Beaver. Both are colored.

A DISTRICT INSTITUTE AT MILL RUN U. B. CHURCH

Arranged for by the Executive Committee of the W. C. T. U. on Saturday.

The executive committee of the W. C. T. U. of the Connellsville district met Saturday afternoon at the Carnegie Free Library and arranged for a district institute to be held Tuesday, June 21, in the United Brethren Church at Mill Run. All the districts were represented with the exception of O'Hoppeville, Mrs. Mary E. Hutchinson and daughter, Gertrude of Mill Run, and Mrs. C. E. Wilson, of Dunbar, were the out of town representatives present.

There will be three sessions, morning, afternoon and evening. A silver medal contest will take place in the evening. Dinner and supper will be served in the church and all those desiring to stay for the evening session will be entertained by the members of the Mill Run Union.

HAS NEW CAR.

Dr. Thomas R. Francis Gets a 30 Horsepower Rec.

Dr. Thomas R. Francis of East Apple street has a new automobile. It is a 30 horsepower Rec. touring car seating five. This is the only Rec in town. The car is a good one, possessing artistic lines and good speed.

Patton Will.

The will of the late David B. Patton, of Fayette City, was left for probate Saturday, bequeathing the entire estate of the widow, Mrs. Beulah Patton.

Convicted for Frauds, Spitzer Will Tell All.

United Press Telegram.
NEW YORK, May 23—Oliver Spitzer, convicted dock superintendent of the American Sugar Refining Company and sentenced to two years in the Atlanta penitentiary, testified against Charles R. Heiko and his co-defendants today. It is rumored that Spitzer has made a complete statement to government officials.

When asked by Special Prosecutor Stimson why he came to New York to testify, he said:

"I have been pardoned by President Taft and came here to tell the entire truth about the frauds."

Spitzer said he had been an employee of the company for 25 years and for 25 years was superintendent of the docks at the Williamsburg refinery.

Spitzer showed his pardon, dated May 19. He said since 1895 he had used devices to undercut sugar.

Originally the checkers used lead bars. When the scales were ordered enclosed he furnished the checkers with two sets of steel springs.

At the December trial he swore he knew nothing about the "seventeen holes" but this morning Spitzer testified that he made the holes.

He said he arranged a system of lights in the scale house to notify the checkers of the presence of government officials. He said the only men checking the government weighers received more than those working with the city weighers. This was kept a secret for Cudler, Borenberg and the pay envelopes \$15 although they contained \$18. He said the company paid the discharged checkers salaries up to February, 1909, when Spitzer was sent to prison.

It is said the government is preparing to prove by Spitzer that the checkers serving a year in Blackwell's Island have been carried on the payroll since convicted and their wages were paid their wives.

Martz Gave Bail for Trial in County Court.

Lewis Martz of town was given a hearing this morning before Squire M. Bittnermore of the West Side on a charge of assault and battery made by his Maslan, also of town. Both men are Jews and the trouble occurred yesterday morning. Martz alleged that while riding on East Main street yesterday morning he was pulled off his horse by Martz who later hit him on the shoulder with a stone and then picked up a large stone and hit him in the back of the head, inflicting an ugly cut which required the attention of Dr. H. F. Atkinson. Martz gave bail for court.

Following the hearing before Squire Bittnermore Maslan was given a hearing before Squire Stillwagon in Connellsville township on the same charge. Martz was the prosecutor. He alleged that Maslan hit him on the hand with a stone. He has a slight cut on his finger. Maslan was also held for court.

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Resolution to Abolish the Saloons

United Press Telegram.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 23—Rev. Frank Fitch of Iowa introduced a resolution in the World's Sunday School convention this morning urging the organization of a united movement to get Congress to eradicate the saloon in the National Capital. The resolution recites that the saloon is the greatest instrumentality in the world for enslaving men, promoting crime, and vice and declares the traffic is "out of harmony with the beauty and uplifted character of the nation's capital."

HOUSE DYNAMITED.

Congressional Candidate at Wilkes-Barre Has Narrow Escape.

WILKES-BARRE, Pa., May 23—(Special)—The house of Henry W. Evans at Plains was dynamited last night, but Evans and his wife escaped without serious injury. The house was badly damaged.

State Comptrollers and the Sheriff are searching for the gunners. Evans is a Congressional candidate. It is believed the house was dynamited by a discharged employee on his farm.

Murder at Aliquippa.

ALIQUIPPA, Pa., May 23—(Special)—John St. Jepson shot and killed Mike Vlegoski, aged 25, in a barber shop here today and then escaped. The men quarreled over a card game.

Lad Doing Well.

Raymond Balesky, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Balesky of the West Side is getting along nicely after an operation yesterday for adenoids. He also had his tonsils removed.

BREWERY MERGER EFFECTIVE SATURDAY

Directors and Officers of New Company Will be Elected.

CAPITALIZATION OF \$7,500,000

Placed at That Figure To Include All the Breweries in the County Including Plants of the Pittsburg Company. Options Are Closed.

Next Saturday the five breweries in Fayette county that have been merged into the Fayette Brewing Company will be taken over by the new company. On that day a meeting will be held and directors and officers of the new company will be elected.

All of the options that had been extended to May 16 were taken up by the promoters of the merger. The companies that come into the merger are the Masonville Brewing Company, the Brownsville Brewing Company, the Young Brewing Company, the Republic Brewing Company and the Johnson Brewing Company. The Brownsville Ice Company is also included with the plant of the Brownsville Brewing Company. There is no batch over those companies coming into the combination. Options they gave have been accepted and closed. The new company will commence to do business the first of the month, all the business which will comprise 80 per cent of that done by all the breweries of the county, being handled under one management.

Negotiations are under way for the absorption of the four breweries in the county that did not come into the merger when the organization was formed last week. These breweries are the two plants of the Pittsburg Brewing Company at Connellsville and Uniontown and the plants of the Fayette and Labor Brewing Company at Uniontown. The capitalization of \$7,500,000 was arranged to include these four breweries.

It is therefore counted as certain that the brewing business in Fayette county will be much more profitable hereafter, especially as the combine is to have a strong and experienced board of directors offered by the best business men in the various underlying companies.

The combination was promoted by R. A. Whiteside, of the Ron Estate & Mortgage Company of Pittsburgh, and A. M. Neoper, in general counsel for the new company. Its capitalization is divided into \$2,500,000 preferred stock and \$2,500,000 common stock and \$2,500,000 bonds, all of which have been underwritten and subscribed. It is understood the combine was financed through the Union Trust Company.

It is rumored that some of the brewing people have indicated a purpose to ignore the rules of the liquor court. A representative of the beer merger, to whom inquiry was directed, said: "I hope this is a mistake. We will strictly observe the rules and the law, as far as we are concerned. We think any other course would be unwise, not to say unlawful."

Found \$10 Bill in Package of Mail Pouch

(Special to The Courier.)

SMITHFIELD, May 23—Fra Moore, Baltimore & Ohio brakeman, has often been told that tobacco chewing is a bad habit but like others of his sex, to habits and is now glad of it. incidentally, he will not change his brand from "Mail Pouch."

While coming in on his run Saturday, with an engine steaming well, he paused in his labors and opened a package of tobacco preparatory to taking a chew. He pulled out a fairly good load of the weed and found what seemed to be pieces of paper in it. Investigation developed, however, that the \$10 bill had found its way into the tobacco. Moore pocketed the bill and the took an extra sized chew for luck.

SAYLER'S TRIAL

For the Murder of Jane Adams Begins in New Jersey.

MAYS LANDING, N. J., May 23—(Special)—The trial of William Sayler, charged with the murder of Jane Adams, his alleged sweetheart, at Atlantic City February 10, began before Justice Trenchard today. Special trains were run from Atlantic City this morning and brought hundreds of spectators.

Special guards are watching to prevent violence to Sayler. Sayler's young wife and the Adams girl's mother are present. Prosecutor Goldenberg declined to outline in advance the prose cuton's case. It is believed conviction depends on the stories of Sayler's brother Orville, and the girl's sister Alice.

FIGHT OVER 25¢

At Oliphant in Which Colored Man Gets a Beating.

OLIPHANT, May 23—(Special)—Saturday night, between 11 o'clock and 11:30, a free for all fight took place in front of the Union Supply Company store between Tony Worrill and a colored man named Leonard. It seems as though Tony owed him 25 cents and refused to pay it. So they elbowed and battered each other for a while. Tony was too much for the colored man, so he cried enough. Leonard works for John T. Robinson.

RICHIE SLASHED BY BAD ITALIAN.

Tried to Prevent Attack on Two Men and Got the Worst of Argument.

SIX STITCHES ARE REQUIRED

To Sew Up the Wound—Three Arrests Are Made by the Police and All of Them Are Held—One Gets Out Under Bail for Hearing.

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BIG DOINGS IN SKIES TONIGHT.

Comet, Aurora Borealis and Eclipse of the Moon.

THREE UNUSUAL HAPPENINGS

Director of Observatory at Pittsburgh Says Fine Treat is in Store If Clouds or Haze Do Not Get in The Way.

Pittsburg, May 23.—Mysterious happenings are crowding one another in the heavens these days. Halley's comet and its elusive tail, sun spots, aurora borealis, meteors and a total eclipse of the moon are keeping the astronomers busy.

Professor Schlesinger of the local observatory has this to say:

"Tonight at 10:46 o'clock there will be a total eclipse of the moon. That's Eastern standard time. If the night is clear the comet will be seen in the western sky shortly after sunset or as soon as it grows dark enough. The comet will set at 10:30 o'clock. It will disappear earlier than that because of the haze, but should the night be clear there'll be at least two phenomena visible to Pittsburghers. There may be a third."

"We have discovered several spots on the sun. Usually, when spots appear on the sun there are accompanying electrical disturbances on the earth and the aurora borealis may appear. That cannot be predicted with any certainty, however. But it is possible that the lights may appear tonight. This would make visible three phenomena."

HAS COMET CAST OFF TAIL?

One Scientist Believes Halley's Comet Has Severed.

Chicago, May 23.—Presumably what happened to the tail of Halley's comet has not yet been satisfactorily settled by the chiefs and experts of the various observatories in America and will not be settled for a considerable time. An interesting conclusion to which Professor Daniel McHugh of Duquesne University has come is that a large part of the tail has been cast off. Admitting that the tail has been cut loose from the nucleus, say the astronomers, it will become a nebula subject to the general laws of gravity within the solar system and will probably be doomed to disappear.

Professor Frost of Williams Bay, Wis., inclines to agree in the conviction that Halley's wanderer is provided with at least two tails and probably with several. Were this theory accepted, says Professor Frost, it would be easy to understand how the tail could be seen in the west and the east at one and the same time.

SHOWER OF SMALL CRYSTALS

Essex (Ia.) People Think Comet to Blame, of Course.

Essex, Ia., May 23.—Supposedly due in some manner to the comet, a shower of small crystals occurred in Essex. Boxes of the debris have been sent to the state geologists for examination.

The shower appeared at first as a light mist or rain. At the time the sky was perfectly clear. For several minutes particles of stone, accompanied by a light ash or dust, fairly rained down, but not with force sufficient enough to cause any damage. The little stones are only one-thousandth as large as a pea and are perfectly transparent and waterwhite.

ON TO IRELAND.

Meet Me at Blarney Castle—Is The Slogan of Irish-Americans.

The Irish Home Going Movement Association of the United States is urging as many Irish-Americans as possible to visit their native country this summer. The association believes that much can be done for Ireland by Irishmen in the United States if they visit that country and examine its industrial conditions. Thousands of Irishmen in America have decided to go, and great preparations are being made in Ireland to welcome those who return to the Emerald Isle. A trip to Ireland is not at all expensive, but any Irishman or others who intend going should see Manager Ruskovic of the Foreign Department of the First National Bank at once. Ocean travel is unusually heavy this year and steamship reservations should be made without delay.

OPERATIONS AT HOSPITAL.

Young Patients Are Treated at the Institution Yesterday.

Margaret Dusley, of Trotter, aged 11 years, and Andrew Trumbly of South Connellsville, were operated upon for adenoids yesterday afternoon at the Cottage State hospital.

George Gruy of Bullock township, aged 19 years, had his tonsils removed.

Alame, Dives 75 Feet.

The Hollister, man and woman, will be seen at every performance at the Hippodrome, Uniontown, all next week, beginning with Decoration Day, Monday, May 30. Matinee on opening day only at 2:30. Eight sensational acts, fireworks and band concert. West Penn cars to the door, 4,000 seats at 25 cents. Evening band concert from 7:30 to 8:15. Performance runs to 10:15.

The Social Calendar.

MONDAY.—The annual reception of the Woman's Culture Club is being held this afternoon at the Armory.

TUESDAY.—Mrs. S. E. Frock will entertain at cards at her home in Uniontown. A number of Connellsville ladies will attend.—Mrs. Anna Porter will entertain at cards at her home on East Green street in honor of Mrs. F. L. Bremel of Hagerstown, Md.

WEDNESDAY.—The marriage of Dr. W. C. Givens of Connellsville and Miss Estelle Stanley of Buffalo, N. Y., will be solemnized at the home of the bride-elect.—Mrs. S. E. Frock will entertain at cards at her home on Market street.

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MONDAY.—The annual class exercise of the Dunbar township High School will be held in the High School auditorium on Wednesday, May 25.—The annual monthly meeting of the Empworth League of the Methodist Episcopal Church will be held at the home of Mrs. Elizabeth Williams on York avenue.

TUESDAY.—The Ladies Aid Society of the United Brethren Church will be held at the home of Mrs. S. B. Noom.

WEDNESDAY.—The L. C. B. League of the United Brethren Church will be held at the home of Mrs. O. R. A. Society of the First Baptist Church will be held in the church.—The Ladies Aid Society of the First Presbyterian Church will meet in the church.—The Ladies Aid Society of the First Presbyterian Church will meet in the church.

THURSDAY.—Mrs. J. D. Perce will entertain at cards at the home of the First Baptist Church at her home on West Beach street.—The Rivals, the annual class play of the High School, will be presented in the Solson theatre.

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SATURDAY.—The King's Daughters meet with Mrs. Conroy. All members

in the church chapel.—The sewing Circle of the First Baptist Church will hold an all day meeting at the home of Miss Dushene on Winter avenue.

THURSDAY.—The Ladies Circle No. 100 to the G. A. R. will meet in Old Uniontown hall on Thursday evening.—The A. G. H. will hold its regular meeting. The Pithian Sisters will meet in Market hall.—The annual commencement exercises of the Dunbar township High School will be held in the Dunbar township hall.

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News From Nearby Towns.

DUNBAR.

DUNBAR, May 23.—Mrs. Walter L. Johnson was the guest of friends in Uniontown on Saturday. Mrs. J. A. Wick and daughter, Miss Helen, who have been here the past several days, relatives for a few days, left Saturday for their home at New Bethlehem, Pa. Undertaker J. M. Burhans was a visitor in Pittsburgh on Saturday. Mrs. Louis Hough was shopping in Connellsville Saturday. Mrs. W. C. Crowder, who has been the guest of friends and relatives at Urmista for the past week, returned home on Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. George Mostoller and their children were the guests of friends at Mt. Pleasant on Sunday. Miss Minnie Veltz was the guest of friends in Connellsville on Saturday. Mrs. Charles E. Wilson was the guest of friends at Mt. Pleasant on Saturday. Mrs. Thomas Mostoller was shopping in Connellsville on Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Adam Heyson, who have been attending the meeting of the Grand Lodge of the Fellows at Williamsport, Pa., for the past week, returned home on Saturday.

Miss Ethel Buckingham, of Connellsville, was here on Saturday the guest of friends. Charles Meyer was shopping in Connellsville on Saturday.

E. F. DeWitt of Scottdale, was here on Saturday looking after some business matters.

George Swearingen was a business caller in Connellsville.

Squire W. H. Cotton was an Unionsville business caller on Saturday.

Miss Zella Collins, of Uniontown, was here on Sunday, the guest of friends.

Miss Mary L. Ladd was the guest of friends in Uniontown on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Collins, who have been here the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin McElroy, of Speer's Hill, left Saturday for their home in Poocotal.

Miss William Knoyer, who has been seriously ill for the past few days, is now slowly improving.

Miss Billie Cotton was calling on friends in Uniontown on Saturday.

Miss W. C. Smith was shopping in Connellsville on Saturday.

Benjamin McGraw, an old veteran of this place, is ill at his home on Speer's Hill.

Henry M. Wick, who has been employed as first telec operator at the Water tower on the Pennsylvania rail road for the past five years, has been transferred to the new water tower at Edinboro. His many friends are sorry to see him leave.

F. H. Fisher, of Connellsville, is first telec operator at Water tower.

Dr. E. B. Gith is the guest of friends. Charles H. Gith, of Johnstown, was here on Sunday the guest of friends.

Snyder Kelly, of Vandergrift, was here on Sunday.

Prof. A. C. Guyenne was the guest of friends in Uniontown.

Prof. W. H. Johns, of Uniontown, was here on Sunday visiting friends.

Miss Nellie Moyer was the guest of friends in Uniontown on Saturday.

Miss Billie Cotton, was the guest of friends in Uniontown on Saturday.

Harry Stroud was visiting friends in Vandergrift.

Mrs. Gresham was shopping in Connellsville on Saturday.

Carl Kramer, of Connellsville, was a business visitor here Saturday.

Miss Elizabeth Guiller, of Connellsville, who was here on Saturday afternoon the guest of friends.

George Hughes was the guest of friends in Uniontown on Saturday.

Owing to the absence of C. C. Miller, pastor of the Presbyterian Church, services were held at the local church on Sunday, and none will be held on Sunday, May 29. Rev. Miller is at Atlantic City attending a meeting of the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church, and from there will go to Washington, D. C., to attend the World's Sunday School Convention.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Smith were the guests of friends in Uniontown on Sunday.

John W. Cartwright, the local painter and paper hanger, is laid up at his home on Connellsville street with a badly sprained ankle, which he received on Saturday, while at work.

Prof. J. W. Miller, a member of the Dunbar Township School Board, was in Leisering on Saturday attending a meeting of the Board.

Huffman Linton was the guest of friends in Revere Saturday.

S. C. Speer of Pittsburgh was here the guest of friends.

M. R. Thomas, of Monaca, spent Sunday here the guest of friends.

J. D. Wagner, of Connellsville, was here on Sunday calling on friends.

Miss Pearl Blane, of Hawley, was here the guest of her cousin, Miss Nellie Calhoun, chief operator at the Bell telephone office.

Miss Georgia McBurney, of Vandergrift, was here on Saturday visiting friends.

Wences D. K. Cameron is suffering from a severe cold at his home on Speer's Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward Clark was the guest of friends in Uniontown on Saturday.

Miss Martha Green was the guest of friends in Pittsburgh on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John R. Seance left on Saturday for Greensburg, where they will join the group of friends.

Henry M. Wick of Uniontown was here on Saturday.

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Miss Helen Carroll, of the West Side, Connellsville, was here on Sunday the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Carroll.

Flora Clark plants for Decoration Day purposes will be placed on sale at the New Stand of C. A. Marietta on next Monday.

DAWSON.

DAWSON, May 23.—Dr. and Mrs. E. G. Miller, of Waynesburg, have returned home after a short visit with Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Laughrey.

George Head, of Steubenville, O., was here on Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Head.

Mrs. Edward Sweeney, of Connellsville, was here Saturday calling on friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hattiger, of Newville, were here Sunday calling on friends.

Mrs. John H. Wurtz, who has been spending a few days here, has returned to her home at Allegan, Mich.

H. C. McCall, of Monaca, was here Sunday visiting his mother, Mrs. Emily McCall.

Mr. H. Hughes, of Newell, was calling

on friends here Saturday.

Additional correspondence will be found on the sixth page of this issue.

Give This a Little Serious Thought

on friends here Saturday. Miss Florence Kuhn, of Uniontown, spent Sunday here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Kuhn. Mrs. Jennie McDonald, of Pleasantville, were here Sunday visiting Mr. G. Cunningham, of Lower Tyrone, who is ill.

Miss Bertha Burger of Uniontown, was here Saturday calling on friends. Lloyd Grimm, of Canfield, W. Va., was visiting over Sunday at the home of Freda, Mrs. Freda Strickland.

A. J. Wurtz of Pittsburgh, was a business caller here Saturday.

Miss Helen Flenniken has returned home from a visit with friends and relatives at Scottdale.

Miss Mary Ward, of Mt. Pleasant, was here Sunday calling on friends and relatives.

Joshua Towne was at Scottdale Sunday visiting his daughter, Mrs. Watson Ogle.

Wm. J. Ellis spent Sunday at Sewickley visiting friends and relatives. Mrs. Truxall of Scottdale, a guest Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Wright.

CONFLUENCE.

CONFLUENCE, May 23.—H. L. Long, of Newell, was a business visitor in the town last week.

Dr. W. K. Mountain was at Washington, D. C., attending the World's Sunday School Convention.

Miss Anna, a leading merchant of this place, was a business visitor at Connellsville last week.

Ally Younkin, a young man of the West Side, is working for G. R. McDonald, the C. & O. section force.

Mr. H. D. Thompson, of the First National Bank of Addison, was a visitor here Saturday.

A. J. Shire, of Somerdale, was a weekend business visitor here.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Conway, of Indian Creek, are visiting friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. T. McClellan and children, of Morgantown, W. Va., are visiting Mrs. McClellan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Flanagan of Flanagan Station.

J. W. Lindsey, candidate for State Senator on the Republican ticket from the 13th district, was here Saturday.

Miss Anna, a young woman of this place, was a business visitor to Connellsville last week.

Charles Rishebarger, Republican candidate for Assembly from Addison, was calling on the voters here Saturday.

James J. Wilson, a prosperous farmer of Addison township, was a business visitor in town Saturday.

The sympathy of all is with G. R. McDonald and family, in the loss of a loving wife and kind and affectionate mother.

Mrs. Jennie McDonald and daughter, Mrs. Sullivan, and little daughter, Virginia, were here from Martinsburg, W. Va., visiting the funeral of her mother, Mrs. McDonald yesterday.

Mr. William Watson and family, of Addison, visited friends in town Sunday.

Mrs. Rachel Savage and daughter, Mrs. Farnum of Pittsburgh, were here yesterday attending the funeral of Mrs. G. H. McDonald.

The funeral of Mrs. G. H. McDonald, which took place yesterday, was one of the largest held in town.

Mr. Neil Doh, who has been very poorly.

W. H. Peott, a prominent grocer of Connellsville, visited his mother here Sunday.

OWENSDALE.

OWENSDALE, May 23.—Among the visitors to town Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. Robert King, Mrs. Allen Shulberger, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Donehue, Miss Isabel Ridenour, Ernest Oberberger, John Ridenour, William Muir, Jr., Mrs. Olive Ruth, and William and Ruth Gault.

J. L. Robbins was attending to matters of business at Connellsville Saturday.

Frank Miller, formerly of this place, was employed as passenger brakeman on the "Brownsville Flyer."

Fred Johnson, of Morgan Station, was calling at Scottdale Sunday.

Miss Pauline Bruce, of West Side, Connellsville, was the guest of Miss Mable Ridenour over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Orleneberg, of Addison, were visiting relatives here over Sunday.

Alv. Bongan and Charles Ottenberg were visiting here over Sunday.

Arthur Rodrigues, of Connellsville, was visiting here over Sunday.

Dr. Oliver G. Engle, of Scottdale, attended the congregation at the Methodist Episcopal Church Saturday evening.

A large crowd was in attendance.

Howard Miller, who has been registered under the condition of his health, visited here and the road raised several feet to keep the water from flooding the house.

John Gault, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Grant Shulberger, is ill.

George DeWalt, of Butto Station, was visiting his family here over Sunday.

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WISE AND PROPER

POLITICAL DISSEMINATION.

Whether it has been due to the insurgents' heads or the Comet's tail, it is a deplorable fact that some of the more timid Republicans have been afraid that something serious is going to happen to the Republican majority in Congress, and as the fear grew the barometer of Democratic hopes which had been lost in the bottom of the tub for the past dozen years began to rise rapidly, especially in Fayette county.

But not even the hopes of the Democrats nor the exuberant and fanciful enthusiasm of Greene county's whirlwind Democratic candidate can arouse public interest, and the primary only two weeks away!

Perhaps the explanation of this is found in the fact that the candidates with the single exception noted have not been aggressive, and especially that they have been backward about announcing their aims and claims in the newspapers. Within the limited time now at hand none of them can hope to personally win any considerable number of the voters, but they can speak to them every day through the columns of the press, and the men who are best advertised are likely to be the men who will be nominated.

The value of political advertising in the newspapers has been pretty thoroughly demonstrated in Fayette county during recent years. To be most effective, however, political advertising should be written forcefully and wisely by either the candidate himself or a clever press agent. A good advertising manager can disseminate through the newspapers along the most effective political persuasion that money can buy at a mere fifth of the cost of "dissemination of information" as commonly practised; and the one is just and fair and lawful, while the other is the corruption, conspiracy and crime.

It is not every candidate who can have a press agent, nor every press agent who is worth having, and we are not trying to draw any invidious distinctions in making this statement; but we do say, in the light of observation and a measure of experience, that well-written press matter will accomplish more at less cost than any other measure or manner of campaign work.

BEER MERGERS AND AGENTS IN FAYETTE COUNTY.

Beer has become an interesting question in Fayette county with the close of license court, the close of the beer merger, the passing of the beer agent, the advent of hot weather and the application of new rules and regulations.

The beer merger is not complete, but the door is open for the independents to come in. The terms and conditions are the same. The financing is complete. It's up to the outsiders to consider well the purposes and effects of consolidation.

The chief purpose of the beer merger is, of course, to make more money.

It is reasonable to presume that the centralization and economical administration effected by consolidation will materially increase profits, and the estimators of the merged interests upon this question are no doubt reasonable.

Complete merger would have eliminated the beer agent without any action on the part of the court. Complete consolidation will effect the last vestige of competition without increasing the prices of beer to the consumer; it will also establish a wholesale regulation of this branch of the liquor traffic.

The plan of the merger for disposing of its product fit in with those of the county authorities for promoting sobriety and preserving law and order.

While forbidding the employment of beer agents, the court has in a manner recompensed the brewing interests by directing the retailers to sell nothing but Fayette county draft beer over their bars. This is a radical extension of the Republican doctrine of protection to home interests, and if it is to become a part of the Fayette county license system it should be extended to the sale of Fayette county whisky also. The Fayette county drinkers are entitled to just as much protection as the Fayette county brewers.

The sensible people of Fayette county will approve all reasonable regulations of the court, or mergers of producing interests, which tend to sobriety and good citizenship.

Berlin's Board of Trade wants a trolley line to Berlin connecting it with Somerset and Meyersdale, and proposes that it be built by local capital. This is a good way to build, but perhaps it would be better to establish an independent trust controlling the stock and working under a trust agreement not to sell out to a rival company without the consent of at least the majority of the stockholders and that same should embrace all the stock which does not participate therein.

Connellsville's six-foot policeman is a living, moving, exemplification of the higher law.

The hot Old Summer Time is paying us a visit.

Waynesburg is growing in civic pride and enterprise. It is endeavoring to provide a public pond for summer angling and winter skating. Waynesburgers may have sold their coal, but they still retain the sporting spirit.

Unfountain is hot-foot after her joy riders. Connellsville police should emulate their example.



The Lovers—For those kind words we bless you!

Editor "Pete" Livingood, now the guiding spirit of the Whidber Era, gave a master mind of the situation, one ambition and a retiring disposition. His ambition is to serve Somerset county in the Pennsylvania Legislature, and now for the second time he has raised before the public his political ambitions. If we may be permitted a suggestion, we would say that a retiring disposition we would say that a retiring disposition never goes there in politics.

The West Penn is after Seat Hogs also their nickels.

Fayette county has fifteen millionaires.

Somerset county politicians are noted for their thrift, but the man who is reputed to be worth several hundred thousands and who wants the Sunday School children to foot his campaign bill has all other political economists fazed.

Washington county politicians are just as wealthy as those in Somerset county and just as full of enterprising insurgency.

The police department of Dawson competes out of the way and in doing so no expenditures of personal effort or official discomfort are considered.

Somerset politics were over atrocious, and this campaign is no exception to the rule.

We are more than ever convinced that the rooster is a good Democratic emblem. The rooster crows upon all occasions. It crows when somebody else lays an egg. It crows when the sun rises. In both instances it would be well to remember that it is responsible for everything good that happens on earth and in heaven. Everything ill that transpires the Democratic Rooster lays upon the broad back of the Republican Elephant.

Some of our numerous successful airships ought to go to comet-chasing.

The charge of vagrancy against a foreigner is rather new to the country, but even the foreigners imbibe the local spirit sometimes.

The Naomi mind mine is rich in its mineral claims, but in a sense it is like the poor, namely, we always have it with us.

The Meyersdale Republican lost its kear wheel several weeks ago and apologizes for its trouble in getting off press ever since. Newspaper offices are not to be blamed. An American paper lost its "m" and had to suspend publication a week.

Boilers should quit letting go and give the comet chance.

South Connellsville's latest industry is going Connellsville.

The valuation of Fayette county has made a substantial increase over that of three years ago and the town and township assessors have so found.

Juvenile Marathon have been the subject of inquiry on the part of the Fayette County Humane Officer with the result that managers of gift enterprises of all sorts are warned that they will be held responsible for damage to the young of the country to the extent of one dollar for each dollar added to the value of the gift.

The Hume Officer is not running a Marathon, but he is in the saddle and riding close at the heels of inhumanity.

The best agents who persist in putting into Fayette county are putting up against trouble.

Have you been enumerated? If you have any doubt about it, fill out the coupon at once.

William Jennings Bryan is back more recalcitrant than his refusal to run for President. The old prophet never tires of running though he never gets in until after the finish.

Keep an eye on the new E. & O. schedule.

Dr. J. A. Holmes is the logical head of the federal career offices and is probably well fitted for the position. He should have the appointment.

My weather has not lacked for variety.

Electric signs may come and go, but the signs written in the newspaper columns in printer's ink are not subject to municipal authority, and they come and go to an excellent purpose.

Women are crowding the male occupation, but female robbers and horse-thieves are just a trifle too much.

If you see a long string of figures in the papers these days, they're either in some field dealing with the damage done to the fruit crop or the length of the comet's tail.

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CHAPTER VI.
THE RESCUE.

A COIL of stout rope fell on top of the whalers and rebounded to the deck. More than that, one end of it stretched into the infinity of dripping rock and flying spray overhead. And it had been thrown by friendly hands. It dangled from some unseen ledge.

Coke and Hozier recovered the use of their faculties simultaneously. The eyes of the two men met, but Coke was the first to find his voice.

"Salvage, by Jove!" he cried. "Up you go, Hozier! I'll sling the girl behind you. She can't manage it alone, an' it needs some one with brains to fix things up there for the rest of us!" And he added hoarsely in Phillip's ear: "Sharp's the word. We 'aven't many minutes."

It permitted Coke and a sailor to strip off a life belt and the two and Hozier back to back. It was wonderful, though, huddled from her ken in that supreme moment, to see how they devised a double sling in order to distribute the strain. When each knot was securely fastened Coke vociferated a mighty "Lev'n away!"

But his powerful voice was drowned by the incessant roar of the breakers.

Not even the united clamor of every man present, fifteen all told, including the drunken officer, could make him stand above the din. The Hozier tugged sharply at the rope three times, and it gave out. Amid a jubilant cry from the others he and Iris were lifted clear of the deck.

At once they were carried fully twenty feet seaward.

As they swung back, not quite so far and now well above the level of the whalers from which their perilous journey had started, a ready-witted sailor seized a few coils of a thin rope that lay tucked up in the angle of the bulwarks and lunged them across Hozier's arms.

"Take a whip with you, sir!" he yelled, and Phillip showed that he understood by gripping the rope between his teeth. It was obvious that the rescuers were working from a point well overhanging the recess into which the Andromeda had driven her bows, and there might still be the utmost difficulty in throwing a rope accurately from the rock to the wreck. As a matter of fact, no less than six previous attempts had been made, and the success of the seventh was due solely to a favorable gust of wind hurling into the cleft at the very instant it was needed.

The sailor's quick thought solved this problem for the future. By tying the small rope to the heavier one those who remained below could haul it back when some sort of signal code was established.

Once there was a check. They waited anxiously, but there was no sign given by the frail rope that they were to haul in again. Then the upward movement continued.

"Chunk o' rock in the way," announced Coke, glaring round at the survivors as if to challenge contradiction. No one answered. These men were beginning to measure their lives against the life of the wedge of iron and clinker kept in position by the crumbling frame of the ship. It was a fast diminishing seal. The figures painted on the Andromeda's bows responded minutes rather than feet.

Watts was lying crouched on deck, with his arms thrown round the windlass. Looking ever for a fresh lurching of rats, he seemed to be cheered by the fact that he dreaded assault preferred the interior of the forecastle to the wave-swept deck. He was the only man there who had no fear of death. Suddenly he began to croon a long forgotten sailor's chanty:

"Now, me lad, sing a song for the dead man's muse.

"I'll never sail 'om again, oh!

We're twelve old salts an' the skipper's

Marooned in the Spanish main, oh!

Sing low—

A nicker o' Davy Jones,

Just one more sail an' sing at the jug.

Ant up with the skull an' bones!"

After longer and faster haul than had been noticed previously the rope stopped a second time. Every one except Watts was watching the whip intently.

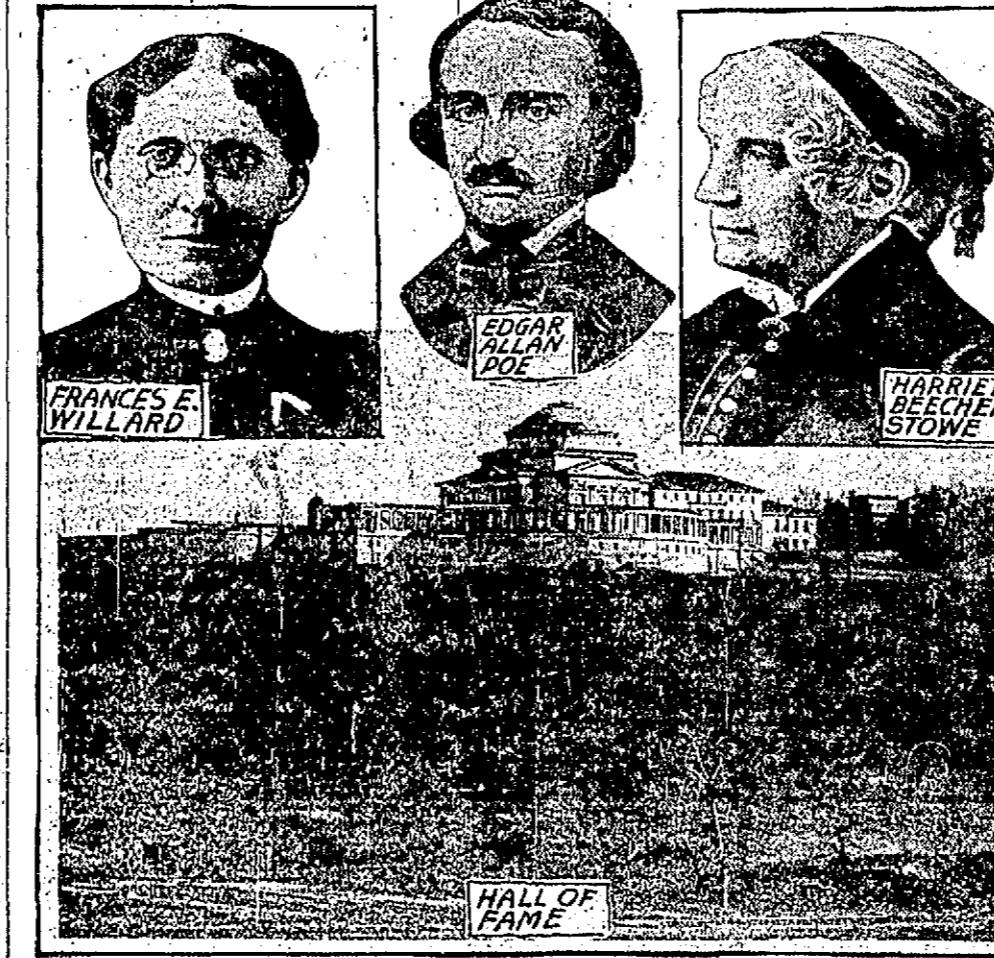
"There she goes!" yelled the sailor in charge of the line. He began to haul in the slack like a madman.

A dark form loomed downward through the mist. It was Hozier alone, coming back to them. A frenzied cheer broke from the lips of those overwrought men. They knew what that meant. Somewhere high above the black rocks and the dying sea was hope throned in the blessed sun. They drew him in cautiously until Coke was able to grasp his hand. They were quick to see that he brought a second rope and a space whip.

"Two at a time on both ropes," was his inspiring message. "They're friendly Portuguese up there, but no one must be seen if a boat is sent from the island to haul out what has become of the ship. So step lively! Now,



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captain, tell 'em off in pairs."

Coke's method was characteristic. He literally fell on the two newest men and began to truss them. Hozier followed his example and tied two others back to back. They vanished, and the ropes returned, much more speedily, this time. Four and four again were drawn up to safety. There were left the captain, Hozier and the unhappy Watts, who was now crying because the skipper had "set about" him just for "sluggin' a reel ole windjammer song."

"You must take up this swine," said Coke to Hozier, dragging Watts to his feet with scant ceremony. "If I lay me 'ands on 'im I'll be tempted to throttle 'im."

Before quitting the deck Hozier helped to adjust the remaining rope around the captain's partly person. They were lifted clear of the trembling forecastle almost simultaneously and in the very nick of time. Already the skeleton of the ship's hull was beginning to slip off into deep water. The deck was several feet lower than at the moment of the vessel's final impact against the rocks. Even before the three reached the ledge from which their rescuers were working the bridge and funnel were swept away, the foremast fell, the forehold and forecastle were riotously flooded by the sea, and Watts, who was unable of using his eyes, might have seen his deadly enemies, the rats, swarming in hundreds to the tiny platform that still rose above the destroying waves. Soon even that frail ark was shattered. When the keel and garboard stroke plates snapped, all that was left of the Andromeda copped over, and the carcass she had wrangled rang with a fierce note of triumph as the next wave thundered in without hindrance.

It was indeed a new and strange world on which Iris looked when able to breathe and see once more. Daring that terrible instant she had retained but slight consciousness of her surroundings. She knew that Hozier and herself were drawn close to a bulging rock, that her companion clutched it with hands and knees and thus freed her delicate limbs from its broken surfaces, she had her feet half entwined, her lifted up into free air and dazzling light, she had voiced in a falsetto foreign tongue uttering words that had the ring of sympathy.

Friendly hands placed her in a warm and snug nest, and she lay there, unable to think or move. By degrees the numbness of body and mind gave way to clearer impressions. But she took much time granted. For instance, it did not seem an unreasonable thing that the familiar faces of men from the Andromeda should gather near her on an uneven shelf of rock strewed with broken boulders and the litter of sea birds. She recognized them vaguely, and their presence brought her back to life.

She lay there, her head on a rock, thinking he was still dizzy from the effects of the blow, which the girl had ascribed to the bursting of a shell. Philip glanced at his watch. It was twenty-five minutes past 8. Yet he distinctly remembered eight bells being struck while Coke was telling him from the bridge to give the anchor thirty-five fathoms of cable. Was it possible that they had gone through so much during those few minutes?

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would have assisted her, but she shook herself free. She felt and conducted herself like a fractious child.

"I can manage quite well," she said, with an odd petulance.

Suddenly she clung to him,

"Don't let them send me back to the ship," she implored.

"No, no. You are safe now."

"Of course I am safe, but I dread that ship. Why did I ever come on board?" Captain Coke said he would shake her.

"Steady! Keep a little nearer the rock on your left." The passage was safe here.

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the inner side of a small crater.

"You can rest here in absolute safety, madame," he said. "Permit me to arrange a seat. Then I shall bring you some wine."

Iris flung off the hand which held her arm so persuasively.

"Please do not attend to me. There are wounded men who need attention far more than I," she said, speaking in English, since it never entered her mind that the Portuguese officer had been addressing her in French.

He was puzzled more by her action than her words, but Hozier, who had followed close behind, explained in sentences bolted on the Ondorolian plan that mademoiselle was disturbed, mademoiselle required rest, mademoiselle hardly understood that which had arrived.

"Mademoiselle without doubt is the daughter of monsieur the captain?"

"No," said Hozier rather curtly, turning to ascertain how Iris had disposed of herself in the interior of the cavern. It was his first experience of a

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Railroad rates, instead of going up with commodity prices in recent years, have declined. This is shown by the Interstate Commerce Commission's reports, which give the average "ton-mile" rates over a period of years.

Recently some typical instances of transportation charges have been culled from the voluminous rate schedules to show how small a proportion of the cost of an article is due to the freight

For hauling 185 pounds of potatoes from Florida to New York city the railroads get 61 cents. When the housekeeper buys 15 cents' worth of these "new" Florida potatoes, she pays only two-thirds of one cent for the hauling. The farmer who raised the potatoes gets not more than a cent and a half for that quantity, at the outside. Somebody gets the rest; who it is, scores of official and unofficial investigators are now trying to find out.

A quart of strawberries, whether it sells for 15 or 40 cents, is hauled from Augusta, Georgia, to New York City in specially constructed cars, for half a cent.

